

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

## REGION 5

## 230 SOUTH DEARBORN ST. CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF: 5HS-11

APR 1 1 1989

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUEST

EPA Region 5 Records Ctr.

Re: Himco Inc. Dump in Elkhart County, Indiana (hereinafter referred to as "the site")

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please be advised that the period of negotiation to coordinate with other PRPs and to present to the U.S. EPA a "good faith" proposal for undertaking of financing the RI/FS at the above site has been extended to May 26, 1989.

This extension is being granted in the spirit of cooperation that has emerged between the Agency and the original 8 named PRPs, the result of which has produced new information identifying some 37 additional PRPs.

Please be aware, however, that this new extended date is final even though additional PRPs may subsequently be identified.

Sincerely.

Norm Niedergang, Chief

Remedial and Enforcement Response Branch

cc: Reggie Baker, IDEM

- 1) Cold Corporation c/o Antoinette Beuche Howard & Howard 100 Bloomfield Hills Pkay. Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48013
- 2) Elkhart General Hospital c/o Robert Thykan Honigman Miller Schwartz & Cohw 2290 First National Building Detroit, Michigan
- 3) Himco Waste Away Services, Inc. c/o Richard Paulen Barnes & Thornburg 301 South Main Street Elkhart, Indiana 46516
- 4) Mr. Charles Himes Jr. 707 North Wildwood Avenue Elkhart, Indiana 46514
- 5) Mr. Richard Winchell Milles Laboratories 1127 Myrtle Avenue Elkhart, Indiana 46514
- 6) Miles Laboratories c/o James Schink Kirkland & Ellis 200 East Randolph Dr. Chicago, Illinois 60601